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W. E. STRONACH.
Victoria, V.I, May 21st, 1866. je1 2w

Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED WAS BY POWER of Attorney, dated april 9th, 1866, duly authorised to act for and on behalf of WILLIAM FREDERICK COLDWELL, then of Victoria.

SAMUEL A. ROGERS.
31st May, 1866. je1 2w

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Wharf street, 30th May, 1866. m30 1m

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Dated this tenth day of May, 1866.

A. D GLOVER.
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Witness—Robert Bishop, Solicitor, Langley street, Victoria. m30 2w

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Dated Head Telegraph Office, New Westminster 9th January, A. D., 1866.

EDMUND CONWAY,
Assistant Engineer.
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NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

MR. EDWARD COHEN IS NOT IN my employment, either as Purchaser of Furs or in any other capacity; and has not been since the first day of January, instant, and his authority to act for me in any way ceased on and from that date.

FRANCIS G. BURKE.
San Francisco, January 23, 1866. a 23 1m

NOTICE.

Big Bend, British Columbia.

DURING THE MINING SEASON THE undersigned will be prepared to execute Surveys and transact a General Agency Business.

JOHN MORRIS,
Civil Engineer.
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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY claims against John Malowanski, or holding any claims or indorsements of the said Malowanski, are requested to send notice of the same to the undersigned immediately.

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Solicitors, Government street
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Agricultural & Horticultural Society of Vancouver Island.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the subscribers to this Society, will be held at the Office of Messrs. Franklin Bros., on Monday the 4th June, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon

J. CHESTNEY BALES.
Hon. Secretary.
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NOTICE.

THE VICTORIA PRICES CURRENT will in future be conducted by Mr. Julian B. Harries, who is authorised to collect all accounts due for that periodical.

DANIEL LINDSAY,
Victoria, 12th February, 1866. fe24

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between ANDREW W. PIPER and CHARLES ADOLPHE ALISKY has been dissolved this day. Andrew W. Piper is entitled to collect all debts due to the concern and assumes all the liabilities.

ANDREW W. PIPER.
C. A. ALISKY.

Witness—CHARLES HEGEL, R.
Victoria, V.I., May 21st, 1866. m22 1w

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By order of the Chairman.

HENRY FOWLER,
Secretary.
Victoria, 16th May, 1866. m17

REAL ESTATE.

VICTORIA CITY COURT OF REVISION

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By order of the Chairman

HENRY FOWLER,
Secretary.
Victoria, V I. 15th May, 1866. m16

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, Vancouver Island.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Saturday, the 12th day of May, 1866.

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR ADJUDICATION of Bankruptcy, bearing date the twelfth day of May, 1866, has been duly filed against MAJOR MALOWANSKI, of Victoria Vancouver Island aforesaid, Merchant, Trader and Tobacconist, and he having been duly declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joseph Needham, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Court of Bankruptcy, on WEDNESDAY, the Thirtieth day of May, inst, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, precisely, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose Assignees and commence the examination of the Bankrupt. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or who have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same but to DANIEL LINDSAY, of Government street, Victoria, the Official Assignee, whom the Chief Justice has appointed, and give notice to

ROBERT BISHOP,
Solicitor, Langley street.
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British Columbia.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
2d March, 1866.

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They have injured the colony almost beyond redemption; imprisonment for debt still drives the enterprising man from the country and deters to a great extent an influx of people to our shores. A Homestead law and other acts for encouraging persons to settle among us have been time and again refused, and still the public are asked to put their hands deep in their pockets and support not only a useless Government but one that has proved in nearly every instance hostile to the popular will. His Excellency informs the House in his despatch of Wednesday last that the estimates have been before the Assembly for five months, but the House may well reply that the principal measures of the country have been before His Excellency's official legislators for two years—that measures of infinite more importance than a Supply Bill—measures that would tend to increase the material wealth of the country instead of pumping dry the public purse, have been sent to the Upper House, session after session, but in vain. His Excellency may attach very much importance to the supplies; he may think, in fact, that the only duty the House has got to perform, is to vote them; but he will find when it is probably too late, that the public of Vancouver Island have got something else to do besides paying exorbitant taxes, and that Government has a higher duty than attempting to force, with all the injustice of the highwayman, a ruinous tribute from the people. 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THE SECOND ANNUAL MEETING OF the above Society will be held, in the Turn Hall, on MONDAY next, June 4th, 1866, at half-past Eight o'clock p.m.

BUSINESS—To receive the Report of retiring officers, and the election of officers for the ensuing half year.

By order of the President.
CHAS. E. REDFERN,
Secretary.

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A CARD.

THE UNDERSIGNED, PASSENGERS on board the steamer CALIFORNIA, from San Francisco to Victoria, would express their high appreciation of Captain Williams and the officers under his command, as their deportment, both as officers and gentlemen, has contributed so largely to make our trip an exceedingly pleasant one. Neither can we speak too highly of the sea-going qualities and accommodations of the "California;" and, under her present command, we take pleasure in heartily recommending her to the public patronage.

J. J. Southgate,
George S Wright,
Robert Moore,
N. Dejailis,
Thomas Hanna,
Miss Weymouth,
Philip D. Moore,
J. Lenthal Sheffield,
John A. McFarlane,
John Iceman,
J. W. Pitfield,
Mrs. W. L. Clancy,
And others.

May 30, 1866. m31

CANDLES,
Ex "Eastern Chief."

270 BOXES RUSSIAN NEVAS, full weight.
For sale by
WILSON & MURRAY.

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Ex "Eastern Chief."

Flint Muskets, Fowling Guns, and Rifles for Indian Trade.

Paper Hangings—A large assortment of selected patterns.

For sale by
LAWRENCE, CLARK & JOYCE.

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HAVANA CIGARS.

LEWIN & ANTHONY,
TOBACCONISTS,
47 Yates Street. Brick Store next to Corner of Government Street,

BEG TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS and the public in general that they will constantly receive by every steamer a good assortment of GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS and the BEST BRANDS OF TOBACCO, imported direct for this market, so that they are able to compete with any house on this Island, either Wholesale or Retail

N. B.—Special attention will be paid to Country orders.

HEYMAN LEWIN. LOUIS ANTHONY.

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London House,

May 30th, 1866.

Our Importations for the present season are now completed by arrivals per **EXPRESS** this morning, and the extensive shipments now landing from the **EASTERN CHIEF.**

Our **DRESS, MANTLE, SILK, SHAWL, MILLINERY, LACE, HOSIERY, DRAPERY, FANCY** and **UPHOLSTERY** departments are now replete with the newest and choicest goods. Either Wholesale or Retail customers will find this the best stock we have yet offered.

LONDON FIRM,
J. P. TUNSTALL & CO.

VICTORIA, V.I.,
J. H. TURNER & CO.

HATS, BONNETS,
MANTLES!

FOR LADIES & CHILDREN.

JUST RECEIVED,
Per Steamship Oregon,

The Newest and most fashionable assortment of the above goods.

—ALSO—
CHOICE FLOWERS,
FEATHERS, STRAW TRIMMINGS,
AND OTHER GOODS.

MRS. PICKLES,
ALBION HOUSE,
FORT STREET, V.I.

a30

GREAT SAVING IN DRESSMAKING.

Mrs. Curtis' First Premium Models.

BY THEM A LADY CAN, IN A FEW minutes, shape any article of wearing apparel, including the GORED DRESS, BASQUINE, SACK, POSTILLION, ZOUAVE, GIRDLE, APRON, PANTALOONS, VEST, &c., to fit perfectly without trying on.

The System is Mathematically perfect, hence it removes all anxiety regarding the fit of a Dress. There will be no ALTERING—no TAKING UP or LETTING OUT, which not only injures the material but destroys the proportions and often ruins the Dress. It is not only exact, but so clear and simple that any person can learn in an hour to cut any garment.

How many ladies of limited means could dress better could they SAVE THE PRICE OF THE MAKING OF A DRESS, which they can do by the use of these MODELS; and how much useless anxiety would be saved by the wealthy and most fastidious were they certain that the dress being made would fit to please them. It WOULD if cut by this system

Is it not pleasant for mothers to be able to cut, without the least trouble to themselves, all the little Jackets, Pantaloons, Dresses, Aprons, etc., while the children are happy at school or at play.

Ladies, just try to realise yourselves being able to cut, after a few hours' attention to this System, every style of GORED DRESS to fit perfectly without the aid of a pattern or of trying on, and every style of Basquine Cloak, Circular Cloak and all other Cloaks, and indeed every article of wearing apparel to fit every size, from the babe to the largest person, and the cutting to be a delight instead of a trouble. Realise this, and then see if you can get along without these Models.

☞ Applications for instruction, addressed to MRS. WATSON, and left at Mrs. Hein's Millinery establishment, Government street, will receive prompt attention.

☞ Models supplied gratis to those taking instruction, and Fashionable Patterns sold separately if desired. Ladies waited on. m4 1m

A. & W. WILSON,

House and Ship Plumbers,
GASFITTERS,
BELL-HANGERS & TINSMITHS,
FORT STREET.

All orders promptly attended to.

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REMOVAL.

CLOTHES CLEANING
AND RENOVATING!

A. BULER

HAS REMOVED HIS STORE FOR Clothes Cleaning and Renovating, to the building next to the Enterprise Saloon on Government street, and nearly opposite the St. Nicholas Hotel. m18

PHILOSOPHY
—OF—
Marriage!

BY DR. JORDAN,

Proprietor of the Pacific Museum of Anatomy & Science, San Francisco,

BEING LECTURES ON

MARRIAGE, REPRODUCTION, NERVOUS DEBILITY, AND DISEASES OF THE GENERATIVE SYSTEM.

These INVALUABLE LECTURES are bound in one Book (100 pages), and plainly show the means of regaining

Health and Strength:

When lost or injured through

YOUTHFUL FOLLY!

Or from other causes.

The **Book is sent Securely Sealed** to any address on receipt of postage stamps for Twenty-five Cents.

Every one should read the Philosophy of Marriage.

All technical phrases are avoided, and the most ordinary intellect can understand and appreciate them. The **Follies and Vices of Youth** are treated of, and most useful and valuable information gained by their perusal. m18

To be had at Office, James Bay.

LD. LOWENBERG,

Real Estate Agent,

Government street, near corner of Broughton

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; to negotiating loans and transacting every thing connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads or making investments will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street, Farming or Gardening Lands in every District, some of which afford a rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage to loan, in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. m14

Home Production!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Bacon & Ham Depot.

MR. HEYWOOD

OFFERS FOR SALE, FOR PRIVATE Family use, Sugar-Cured Hams and Breakfast Bacon, a superior article to any found on the Pacific coast, not excepting the celebrated Yorkshire Hams. Mr. Heywood, through a life's experience in the business, feels confident to warrant the above assertion, and guarantees all of his own productions a No. 1 article. He also keeps on hand Oregon and California Bacon, sold at reasonable rates.

People going to the Mines will do well by calling and examining his stock before buying elsewhere.

Yates Street,
[ABOVE GOVERNMENT,]
Opposite Bowman's Livery Stable.

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Ice Creams!

—AT—

ANDREW W. PIPER'S
Government Street,
OPPOSITE THE THEATRE.

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NOTICE.

Occidental
BILLIARD SALOON,

Corner of Government & Fort Streets.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM his numerous patrons and the public generally that he has disposed of the entire business of the above well known Billiard Saloon to

EDWARD RADOVICH,

who will conduct the business as heretofore, and who is fully authorised to collect all debts now due to the establishment and to receipt for the same.

E. CHILOVICH.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1866. m17

Seeds, Seeds, Seeds,

LANGLEY & CO.,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER
STEAMSHIP OREGON,
AN EXCELLENT ASSORTMENT OF
RELIABLE SEEDS,
From JAMES CARTER & Co.,

Seedsmen to the ROYAL GARDENS, St. Osyth, Essex, who obtained the ONLY PRIZE Medal for Seeds at the International Exhibition of 1862. m27

TO NURSERYMEN & SEEDSMEN.

NATIVE SEEDS.

MR. J CLAYTON WILL COMMENCE shortly making his

Annual Collection of Native Plants and Seeds of Vancouver Island and adjacent Territory.

Parties desirous of having collections forwarded to Europe or other parts, can make arrangements at

MOSS STREET NURSERY,

Victoria, May 21, 1866. m22

Gentile's
Photographic Gallery

REMOVED TO GOVERNMENT ST.,

Next door to the Attorney General's and opposite the Hotel de France.

THE GALLERY IS CONSTRUCTED on the latest Italian system.

A fine collection of Views of British Columbia and Puget Sound. m18

Tennent's Ale in Hhds,
do. Stout, in Pints & Qrts.

FOR SALE BY
Lawrence, Clark, & Joice.

Victoria, May 12th, 1866.
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J. P. Davies & Co.,

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Salesroom, Fireproof Stone Building. Wharf street, near Yates.

Cash advances made on Consignments.

JACOB SEHL,

Importer & Manufacturer
OF ALL KINDS OF
FURNITURE!
BEDDING,
AND
MIRRORS!

Has just received, in addition to his well assorted stock of Furniture, a large invoice of

THICK ENGLISH
PLATE-GLASS MIRRORS

Assorted sizes, which he offers for sale at prices to suit the tim

Also on hand a quantity of

MAHOGANY LUMBER

All sizes, from ½ inch up to 4 inches in thickness, AT SAN FRANCISCO PRICES.

JACOB SEHL,
Corner Government & Broughton streets

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Chains and Anchors.

TWENTY TONS CHAIN,

Short Linked and Proved, from ¼ to ⅞.

—AND—

ANCHORS

From 20 to 800 lbs.

For sale by
PETER M'QUADE,
Wharf street, Victoria

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WM. LYONS,

Shipping & Commission Agent
CORNER
Wharf and Johnson Streets.

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D. LINDSAY,

Accountant,

Government street, Victoria, V. I.

OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE in BANKRUPTCY

Estates wound up by private arrangement, Debts Collected, Loans Negociated, and a general Agency Business transacted.

Settlements made Every Tuesday.

April 19, 1866. a20

JAMES SHERIDAN,

Pianoforte Tuner & Repairer.

ORDERS FOR TUNING AND REPAIRING received at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s Book and Music Store, Government street, opposite the Bank of British Columbia. m24

UNDERTAKING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A complete stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

R. LEWIS,
Corner of Government and Broughton streets,
Victoria

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P. M. BACKUS,

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant

SALESROOM
No 6. Commercial Row, Wharf street

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Wallace & Stewart,

BRASS FOUNDERS,
AND IMPORTERS OF
Gas, Steam & Water Pipes
&c. &c.
VICTORIA, V. I.

April 12, 1866 m13

L. BETTMANN,

DEALER IN
Dry Goods, Clothing, Groceries, etc.
OLYMPIA W.T

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Messrs. Culler & Parsons

Have now ready at
SAVANA'S FERRY,
A BOAT OF
20 TONS BURDEN,
And are prepared to
Convey Freight or Passengers
To the head of
SHUSWAP LAKE.

Storage and a person to take charge at Savana's
For Freight or passage apply to
BUIE BROTHERS,
Lytton.
Or the Proprietors.
Savanas Ferry,
February 23d, 1866.

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BIG BEND!

To Miners and Travellers.

THE "FRENCH PRAIRIE HOUSE,"

12 MILES ABOVE SHUSWAP LAKE. on the Government Trail to Columbia river is ready for the accommodation of travellers. Miners wishing to carry their supplies to the mines will find there a very large and well-selected stock of

Goods, Provisions, Tools, Clothing, and Liquors.

Good chance to save one day's hard packing.

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January 25th, 1866
D. FAUJAS.

HAY,

DELIVERED IN ANY PART OF TOWN,
BY THE TON, - - $30.

POTATOES,
BY THE TON, - - $20.

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J. D. PEMBERTON.

$5,000

TO LOAN ON FIRST CLASS SECURITY, at 1½ per cent per month. Apply to

CHAS. LEVY,
Office at Berrin Barnett's,
Wharf street.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE colony Mr. SAMUEL AUGUSTUS ROGERS holds my Power of Attorney to transact all business for me.

W. E. STRONACH.

Victoria, V.I., May 21st, 1866. je1 2w

Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED WAS BY POWER of Attorney, dated April 9th, 1866, duly authorised to act for and on behalf of WILLIAM FREDERICK COLDWELL, then of Victoria.

SAMUEL A. ROGERS.

31st May, 1866. je1 2w

NOTICE.

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO. BEING about to retire from business, request that parties indebted to them will settle their accounts forthwith.

All accounts, without exception, unsettled on the 30th June prox. will be placed in the hands of their Solicitors, Messrs. Pearkes & Green, for immediate collection.

Parties having claims against the Firm are requested to present the same for payment.

Wharf street, 30th May, 1866. m30 1m

NOTICE

THE COPARTNERSHIP HITHERTO subsisting between the undersigned, ANTHONY DEATSMOND GLOVER and FREDERICK WILLIAM QUARLES, carrying on business as Hotel and Saloon keepers at the Island Hotel and Eureka Concert Rooms Government street, Victoria, trading as Glover & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

F. W. Quarles will discharge all liabilities and receive the debts due to the Firm.

Dated this tenth day of May, 1866.

A. D. GLOVER.
F. W. QUARLES.

Witness—Robert Bishop, Solicitor, Langley street, Victoria.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

COLLINS' OVERLAND TELEGRAPH!

Western Union Telegraph Extension COMPANY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, TO ALL whom it may concern, that this Company is not, and will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person whomsoever in its service or employ, (whether temporarily or otherwise), unless every such debt shall have been previously expressly authorized by either James W. Pitfield, Charles R. Burrage, or myself, who alone are empowered to contract any debts on behalf of the Company in British Columbia or Vancouver Island.

Dated Head Telegraph Office, New Westminster 9th January, A. D., 1866.

EDMUND CONWAY,
Assistant Engineer.

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NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

MR. EDWARD COHEN IS NOT IN my employment, either as Purchaser of Furs or in any other capacity; and has not been since the first day of January, instant, and his authority to act for me in any way ceased on and from that date.

FRANCIS G. BURKE.

San Francisco, January 23, 1866. a 23 1m

NOTICE.

Big Bend, British Columbia.

DURING THE MINING SEASON THE undersigned will be prepared to execute Surveys and transact a General Agency Business.

JOHN MORRIS,
Civil Engineer.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY claims against John Malowanski, or holding any claims or indorsements of the said Malowanski, are requested to send notice of the same to the undersigned immediately.

PEARKES & GREEN,
Solicitors, Government street

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Agricultural & Horticultural Society of Vancouver Island.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the subscribers to this Society, will be held at the Office of Messrs. Franklin Bros., on Monday the 4th June, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon

J. CHESTNEY BALES.
Hon. Secretary.

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NOTICE.

THE VICTORIA PRICES CURRENT will in future be conducted by Mr. Julian B. Harries, who is authorised to collect all accounts due for that periodical.

DANIEL LINDSAY,

Victoria, 12th February, 1866. fe24

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between ANDREW W. PIPER and CHARLES ADOLPHE ALISKY has been dissolved this day. Andrew W. Piper is entitled to collect all debts due to the concern and assumes all the liabilities.

ANDREW W. PIPER.
C. A. ALISKY.

Witness—CHARLES HEGEL R.
Victoria, V.I., May 21st, 1866. m22 1w

Sooke Copper Mining Co. (Limited.

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ABOVE named Company must be presented to the Secretary within ten days from date, or they will not be recognised.

By order,
A. F. MAIN,
Secretary.

May 29, 1866. m30

REAL ESTATE.

Court of Revision for the Town of Esquimalt, and Districts of Victoria, Esquimalt, Metchosin, and Sooke.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT NO appeals will be received after twenty-one days from date. All appeals must be sent in writing to the Assessor, or to the Secretary, at Smith's Building, Government street. The Court sits every Wednesday, at 11 o'clock, in Smith's Building.

By order of the Chairman.
HENRY FOWLER,
Secretary.

Victoria, 16th May, 1866. m17

REAL ESTATE.

VICTORIA CITY COURT OF REVISION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all appeals must be addressed in writing to the Assessor, or to the Secretary, at Smith's Building, Government street, within 14 days from date, after which no appeals will be received. The Court will meet every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock in Smith's Building.

By order of the Chairman.
HENRY FOWLER,
Secretary.

Victoria, V. I., 15th May, 1866. m16

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, Vancouver Island.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Saturday, the 12th day of May, 1866.

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR ADJUDICATION of Bankruptcy, bearing date the twelfth day of May, 1866, has been duly filed against MAJOR MALOWANSKI, of Victoria Vancouver Island aforesaid, Merchant, Trader and Tobacconist, and he having been duly declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joseph Needham, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Court of Bankruptcy, on WEDNESDAY, the Thirtieth day of May, inst, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, precisely, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose Assignees and commence the examination of the Bankrupt. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or who have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same but to DANIEL LINDSAY, of Government street, Victoria, the Official Assignee, whom the Chief Justice has appointed, and give notice to

ROBERT BISHOP,
Solicitor, Langley street.

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EUREKA CONCERT ROOM,

Government Street,

Under the management of MRS. QUARLES.

OPEN EVERY EVENING AT 9 O'CLOCK.

ADMISSION FREE.

☞ At the Bar, the best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed by G STOCKER m17 1m*

IMPORTANT TO PERSONS GOING TO
BIG BEND!

TO KNOW WHERE THEY CAN GET A FIT-OUT OF

MINING TOOLS CHEAP!

WHICH THEY CAN FIND AT THE

Pioneer Variety Store

WADDINGTON ALLEY.

TO HOTEL KEEPERS, FAMILIES, FARMERS, AND OTHERS!

I will sell for THIRTY DAYS—VERY CHEAP!—

Handled Cups and Saucers, 75 cents per doz. and upwards.

Plates, 37 1-2 cents and upwards.

And a large Stock of other goods, too numerous to mention, equally low; so call early and take your pick.

—ALSO,—

An assortment of the above goods, with FURNITURE and BEDDING, can be obtained

AT THE BRANCH STORE,

CORNER OF GOVERNMENT AND CORMORANT STREETS.

☞ Now is your time to buy if you have a little Cash.

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T. P. FREEMAN.

PIC-NICS!

Parties going on Pic-Nics should obtain those

CREATURE COMFORTS

SO INDISPENSABLE AT SUCH MEETINGS,

PACKED IN ICE, FREE OF EXTRA CHARGE,

—AT THE—

Bee Hive Hotel,

Broad and Fort Street,

m16 VICTORIA, V.I.

ST. GEORGE HOTEL,

VIEW STREET,
BETWEEN BROAD & DOUGLAS STS.,
Victoria,
VANCOUVER ISLAND.

THIS ELEGANT BRICK BUILDING, containing beautifully furnished single apartments, as well as Suits of Rooms for Families, is now open for the accommodation of the Public as a first-class Hotel.

A RESTAURANT

being attached to the house meals can be had at hours of the day.

☞ Private Dining Saloons for Families.

Board per Week, with wine,..............$8
Board and Lodging per Day,.............. 2

TERMS, per week or month, made to accommodate.

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PACIFIC TELEGRAPH
HOTEL,

Store Street,
(Between Herald and Fisguard),
VICTORIA, V. I.

ANDREW ASTRICO & CO.

RESPECTFULLY INFORM THEIR friends and the travelling public that the above Hotel is the MOST COMMODIOUS and CLEAN HOTEL in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle, and the table is supplied with the very best the market affords. A Restaurant being attached to the premises, Meals can be had at all hours of the day. Private Dining rooms for Families.

The rates of charges are as follows:

Board and Lodging per week, $5 50 to $6 50
" " " *Day*, - - $1
Single Meals, - - - - 37½ *cents*
Beds, - - - - - 50 *cents.*

A Fireproof Safe in the House.

TERMS—Cash in advance. m10 1m

ST. NICHOLAS
HOTEL

GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA V. I

THIS FIRST CLASS THREE-STORY brick hotel, conducted in the best approved style, contains Sixty Family Rooms, Suits of Rooms and Bedrooms.

A Dining Room for Ladies and Families exclusively.

A Restaurant for Gentlemen. Also, a Splendid Billiard Saloon, containing Five First-class Tables.

BOARD, per week.............................$ 7 00
BOARD AND LODGING, per day............ 2 00
BOARD AND LODGING, per week.......12 00

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British Columbia.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
2d March, 1866.

IN PURSUANCE OF A RESOLUTION OF the Legislative Council, passed on the 22d February, 1866, the Officer Administering the Government, with a view of developing the resources of the Colony, has authorised the following Premium to be offered:

A Premium of $3,500 to any person or persons who shall first erect a Quartz Crushing Steam Mill in Cariboo, of not less than 60 horse power, capable of working two batteries each of four stamps of the weight of 800 lbs.

The Mill to be in working order on or before the 30th September next, and to have been worked for three months, to the satisfaction of the Assistant Gold Commissioner, before the premium is payable.

The Governor in Council to be the sole judge as to whether the above premium is to be awarded

By command,
HENRY M. BALL,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

a12 3m

For Puget Sound!

THE STEAMER
"ELIZA ANDERSON,"
D. B. FINCH, MASTER,
LEAVES VICTORIA
Every Thursday Morning, at 5 o'clock,
—FOR—
OLYMPIA, and Way-Ports,

Taking passengers and freight.

☞ Superior facilities for carrying Cattle

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NOTICE.

MARTIN BROS.

Importers
—OF—
Groceries & Provisions,
AT THEIR OLD STAND,
WHARF STREET.

mp23

Sporborg & Rueff,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Importers and Wholesale Dealers
—IN—
Groceries, Provisions,
Boots and Shoes.

WHARF STREET..................VICTORIA, V.I.

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Oh Dear! Oh Dear!

MRS. BROWN HAS THE SWEEPS! But all I've got to say is that I do wish as they'd invent somethin' as would consume its own soot, for them sweeps is my constant dread, and as to Old W—ll—s, I'd rather sweep the Chimblys with my own hands than he should ever darken my doors again, as he left his marks all along the passage and shook out his soot bags in the front garden for spite, and the place was pisined for many a day, the soot flew in through the parlor winders and begrimed them from top to bottom.

m15 1m EXCORIATOR.

FOR SALE.

Ten Tons of Potatoes!

BEST QUALITY AND IN GOOD CONdition, delivered to any part of the city at

One Dollar per Hundred Pounds!

Also, Kidney, Ladies' Fingers, and Early Sovereigns. Enquire at the "RICHMOND."

ml 1m• J. B. SERE.

ADAMSON & HURD,

ACCOUNTANTS,
Real Estate and General Agents,
63, Government street,
VICTORIA, V. I.

Accounts Collected & Loans Negotiated

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Monday Morning, June 4, 1866.

COMMERCIAL.

From Barclay Sound—The schooner Surprise, Capt. Spring, arrived on Saturday evening from Barclay Sound. The Indians reported all quiet.

MARKET AND GENERAL REPORT.

[From the Victoria Prices Current.]

The most important arrivals since our last issue, are the bark "Eastern Chief" from Liverpool, with a general cargo; and the schooner "Premier," from Honolulu, with a cargo of sugars &c. A considerable portion of the latter cargo has already been disposed of by auction, at prices which may be deemed satisfactory. Several parcels of goods per "Eastern Chief" are likely to meet with ready sale, but we fear the spirits, of which there are somewhat large shipments, will come to a poor market; with the exception of Whiskies, the place is already overstocked, and even allowing for an expected increase in the demand, the liquor trade must for some time remain flat.

The great complaint at present amongst our mercantile community, is the impassable state of the trail from Seymour to the mines, for pack animals. Twenty-five miles of this road is represented as nothing but mire; and the Government instead of placing as many as could work to advantage to make good the defects, had by last accounts only ten men employed on it. At the present time, this state of things is proving most injurious to our trade, many thousands worth of goods are now detained at Seymour, and the shippers remain without any returns, until the goods reach their destination.

The Oregon merchants in the meantime are making the most of our disadvantage, and holding at present almost a monopoly of the Big Bend trade. The steamer built for the Kamloops and Shuswap Lakes, has been completed and running for some time, so that this short piece o road is now the only impediment to traffic. It is to be hoped however that the British Columbian Government have seen the short sightedness of his policy, and made arrangements for pushing forward the repairs of the road with greater vigor, as the richness of the mines has now been placed beyond doubt, and any money spent on improving the access, must be well laid out.

The prospects of the Cariboo mines seem brighter than ever. The hill tunnelling has in almost every instance proved a success, and diggings of this kind are of the most lasting nature. Although the present dullness of trade may incline us to view everything in a desponding light, yet our mineral resources, every day proving more extensive, should serve to buoy up the spirits with well grounded hopes of the future

COMMERCIAL REPORT.

BACON.—Stocks have been somewhat reduced since our last issue, but prices have still a downward tendency, as colonial production is interfering with the sale.

BEANS.—Sales limited, but no alteration in prices—average stocks.

BLANKETS.—51 bales are to hand per Eastern Chief, and a small lot on the way; amongst the former are some 2¼ point, but the market is still very bare of this size—other sizes stocks over large, and prices low.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—English made—The demand is small at present, but were the facilities greater for getting goods through to the mines, there is no doubt that it would increase very rapidly. A small shipment expected shortly, see goods on the way.

CANDLES.—A parcel of Nevas Stearine lately to hand (see imports,) and 600 boxes on the way per Evelyn Wood and Mohawk, this will not be sufficient to meet demands for the fall and winter, unless, however, further shipments are made per vessels now loading. Stocks of good qualities very light, and prices ruling high.

CONFECTIONERY.—English assorted, very scarce, and in demand. No advices of any on the way.

CHEESE.—English none offered. Good double Gloucester properly packed, would probably if introduced into the market, meet ready sale at paying rates.

CLOTHING.—Stocks still continue too large for present demands, and prices consequently low in proportion; to effect speedy sale, is to leave a heavy loss to the seller.

All the latest advices from Big Bend mines, state, that no clothing is yet offered there for sale, and is much wanted, but none can be sent forward just now, for the reasons stated in general report.

DRY GOODS.—The retailers who import their own goods, may be said to monopolize about three fourths of the local trade, in this line. The British Columbia and country business is therefore the mainstay of the wholesale dealers, and the difficulties of the transport of goods to the mines, affects this as well as other merchandise. The stocks are very slender, and if any demand suddenly arises, many things will be completely run out. At present there is almost nothing doing.

FLOUR.—Business has not been so active as might reasonably have been expected, but it may be attributed to the same cause that effects other branches of business at the present juncture. Although arrivals from time to time keep up average stocks, they may run low in a very short time when an improved state of the roads is brought about. Prices remain about stationary.

IRON.—(Pig), 70 tons are to hand per Eastern Chief, which is about all that is held to meet local demands, the bulk of former shipments having been shipped off to San Francisco, where it has been scarce and in good demand. The prices quoted from there by last advices was $60 per ton duty paid ($9 00). No advice of further shipments. Bar Iron, fair stocks, and parcels expected—see goods on the way.

LIQUORS AND WINES.—Considerable additions have been made by recent arrivals, and further additions on the way, although stocks are already far larger than present demands would warrant. A quantity of Wines, and 350 cases Brandies &c., was put up at auction on the 29th, to feel the market. 50 cases Hennessy's brought $7 12½—50 cases Martell's $7 @ $7 50, the remainder drawn. In bulk, Hennessy's and Martell's $2 30 per gal imp—Sazerac's $2 50. A sample lot of Port and Sherry in case, invoiced at 28s to 30s per doz, in bond, brought only from $3 @ $5, and in bulk, low in proportion. Jamaica Rum $1 25 per gal.

OATMEAL.—Scotch, very scarce, and in good demand; if no further shipments are made by vessels loading per last advices, stocks will doubtless run completely out, as but a small quantity is on the way.

RICE.—Stocks hitherto very large, have been considerably reduced by shipments to British Columbia for chinese miners and others. No change in prices.

SUGARS.—Since our last issue, the arrival of the schooner Premier has put a full supply of finer grades into the market, which were quoted by us as scarce; a further shipment from California is also to hand. On the 29th of last month 1000 barrels were sold at auction, fine grades, Princeville &c., brought $8 20 @ $8 40 per 100 lbs. lower grades $5 25 @ $6 37½. At same time a small lot of molasses sold to test the market, fetched 25 cts per gal., the bulk was withdrawn. For arrivals see imports.

TEA.—Green, Young Hyson, none offered, and in great request. No advices that any may be expected.

N. B.—All Provisions, Oilman's Stores and articles of consumption, shipped to this market, should, as a general rule, be of the best qualities and brands.

GOODS ON THE WAY.

Per Ship *Evelyn Wood*, from London, left the dock Feb. 23, 1866.—100 cases beer, 1 cs perfumed spirit, 14¼ cks white wine, 3 cs apparel, 1 cs books, 15 cs pickles, 6 cs preserved meat, 2 cs preserved milk, 1 bx effects, 4 cs cotton goods, 100 bx stear candles, 5 bx apothecary, 350 tons telegraph wire, 411 bars 27 bdls iron, 2 cs hardware, 5 cs effects, 2 cs books, 4 cs hats, 3 cs linen, 1 cs colored cotton, 2 cs wool and cotton, 1 cs col'd linen, 2 cs millinery, 1 cs col'd cotton, 1 cs wool and cotton, 2 cs white cotton, 60 cs red wine, 1 bx apparel, 100 bz stear candles, 4 cs drugs, 7 cs harberdashery, 2 cs printed cotton.

Per ship *Mohawk*, from London, left deal 12th January, 1866.—784 cases bottled beer, 20 hhds beer, 34 cs raisins, 2 cs sugar, 870 cs 20¼ cks & 5 phns geneva, 251 cs 15 phns british spirit, 500 cs 43¼ cks brandy, 226 cs 13¼ cks white wine, 10 phns 20 hhds rum, 8¼ csks red wine, 4 cs tobacco, 19 cs plums, 18 cs apparel, 1 csk e'ware, 2 cs carriage, 2 cs saddlery, 8 cs effects, 2 cs harberdashery 66 bls woollens, 4 bls manuf'd goods, 1 cs 1 bl hosiery, 4 cks fuze, 5 cs hardware, 5 cs agricul'l machinery, 8 cs oatmeal, 3 cs 21 bles paper, 4 cs 1 bl cottons, 20 bls corks, 20 cs sardines 586 bdls 1675 bars 160 plates iron, 18 cs pickles, 69 cs oilmen stores, 3 cs school slates, 13,000 coils telegraph wire, 2 csk ink, 1 harmonium, 14 cs y-metal sheathing, 3 cs nails, 3 cs scales, 20¼ hhd 20¼ cs vinegar, 10 cs bottles, 14 cs nutmegs &c., 16 ingots tin, 1 brl bar tin, 1 cs wood oars, 8 cs millinery, 200 bxs stearine 200 bxs comp'n candles 35 trunks boots and shoes, 13 cs baggage, 3 cs chocolate, 1 cs seeds, 3 cs linen thread, 3 bales fishing lines, 12 bales blankets, 3 csks lucca oil, 1 cs 3 bles hemp twine, 8 bles canvas, 2 cs coffee mills, 8 cs sauces, 23 pkgs apothecary, 8 cs salad oil, 9 cs presv'd provisions, 1 cs dressed leather.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED.

June 2—Stmr California, Williams, New Westminster

Stmr Enterprise, Swanson, New Westminster

CLEARED.

June 2—Schr Eliza, Middleton, Burrard's Inlet

Slp Thornton, Warren, Chemanus

From Nanaimo—The steamer Enterprise brought down the Saturday's *Gazette* from Nanaimo where she called for coal on her return from New Westminster. The ship Helois was under the shute loading for San Francisco. The jury convened at the inquest held on the body of the sailor belonging to this ship discovered lying on the beach near the Nanaimo camp on Wednesday last, returned a verdict in accordance with the facts. On Monday afternoon a burglary was committed, it was believed, by Indians, on the premises of Mr. Saml. Hood, near the Douglas Pit. A quantity of clothing and other articles were stolen. The ship Riviere which left on Wednesday for San Francisco in tow of the Sir James Douglas, took 1260 tons coal. An attempt has been made by the magnates of Nanaimo and their sycophants to gag the *Gazette*. Are the views of our little contemporary too honest or its home thrusts too unpalatable to suit the "upper ten" of the busy hamlet, that they should endeavor to stifle the only public organ in the place? The present lessee states that he holds the property by virtue of a 12 months' lease and refuses to yield possession.

Cherry Creek Silver Mine—Mr. McWorthy, who has had seven years' experience in quartz operations in California, and eight years in Washoe, has just returned from the Cherry Creek mines, having been induced, from seeing a sample of the ore in San Francisco, to inspect the ledge. Mr. McWorthy examined the ledge to his entire satisfaction, according to the amount of work done. He found it well defined, eight feet thick, and clearly showing silver in various parts. About 30 feet of the surface of the vein has been uncovered by removing three feet. The lead runs across the bed of Cherry Creek, and is apparently well defined in the solid bed-rock formation. Mr. McWorthy has no hesitation in saying that, for the amount of work done, the ledge promises to be richer than anything he has seen in California or Washoe, and with the same prospect there he would experience no difficulty in raising all the capital that would be needed to develop it.—*Columbian.*

From Yale—The steamer Lillooet, Capt. Fleming, arrived from Yale yesterday, bring- 45 passengers, about 15 of whom were miners returned from Big Bend. There is no later news of importance. The Bonaparte Bridge at Cache Creek has been carried away by the freshet. About 100 feet of the Cariboo road above Cache Creek had been washed away, and 200 yards of the Savana road is inundated. The waters of the Bonaparte are unprecedentedly high. Mr. Spence is on the spot repairing damages, and it is expected the roads will be passable by this time. On Wednesday, as a Dutchman was passing the Big Cañon, 16 miles above Yale, with a horse and cart laden with provisions, the horse took fright at some Indians and backed over the bank, about 50 feet deep. Total loss. The man escaped.—*Columbian.*

Bankruptcy Made Fashionable.—The Bankruptcy Court (says the *Athenæum*) is becoming a fashionable resort. Lords G. Townshend, Gordon, Buchan, and Nigel Kennedy are among its latest noble patrons. One as noble, and in some way connected with literature, is Georgina Augusta Frederica Henrietta Cavendish Bentinck, who got her discharge last week. The possessors of Mrs. Elliott's (Grace Dalrymple) diary may like to annotate the entry of the marriage of her daughter (by George IV.), Miss Seymour, to Lord C. Bentinck, by the remark that the only child of that marriage, with royal blood in her veins, is the lady to whom the commissioners of bankruptcy lately granted a discharge.

The Salt Spring Election—A correspondent sends us a lengthy account of the recent election proceedings at Salt Spring Island and the manner in which Mr. J. T. Pidwell obtained the long coveted honor of representing the constituency. We would very willingly oblige the settlers by publishing the letters as requested, but we are precluded from doing so for two reasons, the first of which is that our correspondent has omitted to comply with our rule by not furnishing his name, and the second that there are portions of the letter that we cannot decipher.

Betrothal of the King of Greece.—The *Neue Fremdenblatt* of Vienna gives the following particulars relative to the approaching betrothal of the King of Greece to the Grand Duchess Wera of Russia:—"The cermony will take place in a short time, but the marriage will not be celebrated for three or four years, and when King George shall have embraced the orthodox Greek religion. The grand duchess is the second daughter of the Grand Duke Constantine, and was born on the 4th of February, 1854, and is consequently in her 13th year. King George is 21."

Signs of Confidence.—All accounts agree that the merchants and others who have the heaviest stake in the prosperity of the Big Bend mines, are confident of their ultimate success, and are not at all inclined to despondency. We take it as an unmistakable evidence of confidence that Mr. W. T. Herre, formerly of this city, has sent an order for sixty weekly Colonists to be sent up to him regularly during the season for the purpose of supplying the mines.

Quick Time.—Messrs. Rueff and Leneveu arrived yesterday from British Columbia, having been only twelve days visiting the township of Seymour at the head of navigation on the Shuswap Lake. The time could be done they say in eight days with through communication. They were delighted with the appearance of the country through which they passed after leaving Savanna's Ferry, and speak hopefully of the prospects of the mines.

Brigham Young as a Nurseryman.—Brigham Young has nurseries that grow something besides babies. He is a great fruit grower. Last year his garden of two and a-half acres—in Salt Lake City—produced 750 bushels of peaches, 400 bushels of apples, 22 bushels of plums, 25 bushels of strawberries, 2 bushels of pears, 250 pounds cherries, 1,875 pounds grapes, besides gooseberries, raspberries and currants in large quantities.

From New Westminster—The steamer California arrived from Fraser River early on Saturday afternoon, and the steamer Enterprise at 11 p. m. They brought the upcountry expresses and a good many passengers, including a number of returned Big Benders. Parties who arrived from Seymour, however, state that they met many more going up than were coming down.

Recovering.—Mr. Lee is still lying at the Blue Tent, and is rapidly recovering from the effects of the injuries he sustained by being thrown from his horse while on his way up here; although he has not yet had the assistance of an M. D., still through the timely office of some good Samaritan the leg has been set and is doing well.—*Sentinel.*

In a Limerick paper an Irish gentleman, whose lady had absconded from him, thus cautions the public against her: "My wife has eloped from me without rhyme or reason, and I desire no one to trust her on my account, for I am not married to her."

Assault Case at New Westminster.—Mr. John Robson, editor of the *British Columbian*, was charged on Wednesday before Mr. Brew, Police Magistrate at New Westminster, with committing an assault upon Mr. John Trutch, brother of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. We have received two reports of the case giving such different versions of the affair that we cannot with justice to the parties concerned publish either of them. Mr. Robson was fined five shillings for the assault.

The Latest Fashions by Express.—Just received at Victoria House, a charming assortment of Bonnets and Hats, as worn this Spring in Europe; the latest novelties in Trimmings and Ornaments, Cluny Lace, rich Moire Antique and other Silks, and a large variety of New Summer Goods, too numerous to particularise. The Millinery will be found worthy of special attention.
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Mr. F. J. Barnard, the enterprising British Columbian Expressman, arrived on Saturday by the California from New Westminster. Mr. Barnard says that the season was late and the miners have gone in too early, but that he has every reason to feel satisfied that the Big Bend mines will turn out all right by and bye.

Season Goods—Messrs. J. H. Turner & Co. have completed their season importations by the Eastern Chief, just arrived from England. This vessel brings them a very large and valuable general stock of dry goods and millinery, which will be hereafter specified. *

The Term of the Legislative Council Extended—The Government has issued a notice extending the term of office of the members of the Legislative Council, unless previously determined, until the 1st day of September next, the instrument which appointed them having expired yesterday.—*Columbian.*

Smallpox has broken out among the Indians at the Swinomish Telegraph Station in Washington Territory. There were four cases there yesterday, but no casualties thus far. They stated that the disease was brought over by a Victorian Indian.

Laid Over.—We observe that the Gold Commissioner has issued a notice intimating that all hill claims unworkable on the 21st instant, will be laid over to the 1st June, free of expense, by application at his office.—*Sentinel.*

Big Bend Specimens—A miner from Big Bend handed Mr. McWorthy yesterday two specimens of rose quartz, about 50 per cent. gold. They were taken from a claim on Camp Creek.—*Columbian.*

The Bed-Rock Flume Company are busy cleaning the snow out of their water ditch from Jack of Clubs Creek, and expect to have water running in it to-day.—*Sentinel 21st.*

Which are the lighest men—Scotchmen, Irishmen or Englishmen? In Ireland there are men of Cork; In Scotland men of Ayr (air), but on the Thames there are lightermen.

Reported Failure.—There was a rumor round town yesterday, but we failed to discover its authenticity, that the Bank of India in London has failed with heavy liabilities.

Wires Down—We are without our usual telegraphic report to-day, the wires being interrupted by the overflow of the Columbia River.

Wages on Williams Creek rule at $7 and $8 per day, which it is supposed will be the current rate for the season.

For San Francisco—The steamer California will leave for San Francisco direct to-morrow morning at 7 o'clock.

DECAY'S EFFACING FINGER

Will never mar the teeth that are brushed daily with Odoriferous **Sozodont.** It lends a floral fragrance to the breath as well as protects the teeth from corrosion and decomposition.

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MINING INTELLIGENCE.

(From the Sentinel of May 21st.)

WILLIAMS CREEK.

Since our last weekly report there has been but little new to chronicle in the shape of new discoveries. Most of the claims then noticed are still at work, and yielding their usual returns. To-day all ground laid over last fall must be represented or become abandoned, so that there will be a great increase to working claims this week. There is now plenty of water, and before the week closes we doubt whether an idle man can be found on the whole creek who is able or willing to do a day's work. Even the Chinamen, who are daily flocking in, will be employed in the different claims more or less; the Raby Company, it is said, intend hiring 60 Celestials to work in their open cut. The snow is fast melting away, but not so rapidly as to create any undue increase to the waters of the creek.

Among the many companies taking out pay we note the following: The Moffatt Co. washed up on Thursday 12 ounces and on Saturday 13 ounces; the Prairie Flower Co washed up this week 100 ounces; the Adams Co. washed up for the week $1200; the Aurora Co. are taking out good pay still, but we are unable to learn to what extent.

BURNS CREEK.

The Never Miss Co., in which the well known Billy Barker is interested, were working on this creek up to the 7th January, when they had to stop on account of water; they ran a tunnel 70 feet into the bench some six feet higher than the level of the creek, and found such prospects as justify them in believing that when water can be had to wash they will make from $12 to $16 a day to the hand. There will be at least six or seven companies at work on this bench during the summer.

ANTLER CREEK.

We learn that Mr. Jennings has commenced to run a tunnel into the bank near the Bed Rock Flume Co.'s ground, where he expects to find another channel. Below this point about two miles, some seven or eight companies are making preparations for working their ground.

LETTER FROM SEYMOUR.

Seymour City, May 27th, 1866.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER MARTEN.

This has certainly been the most eventful day that Seymour City has yet witnessed, made so by the arrival of the much wished for steamer Marten. To you dear Victorians whom we picture to ourselves anxiously awaiting the arrival of every down steamer in order that you may hear some encouraging and reliable news from the Big Bend, I feel certain that it will be as great an amount of joy and satisfaction to hear that at about six o'clock this evening the greatest excitement was caused by the steamer Marten coming round the point and delighting the eyesight of every Seymourite as she swiftly and gracefully glided through the noble waters of the Shuswap Lake. Five hundred hungry pioneers about that time were partaking of their evening dose of beans and bacon, but at the sight of the steamer they hurriedly cast pots and pannikins aside and few were the moments that elapsed before the roar of mighty cannonading was heard emanating from the efforts of the Royal Anvil Artillery under the command of Colonel Fisk ably assisted by Capt. Parker, Lieut. Rose, and Bombadier Big Jack. Every available explosive weapon was brought to bear, so that the steamer—a worthy representative of our colonial enterprise—might receive a hearty welcome. As she neared the landing place three rousing cheers and a tiger rent the air which were lustily responded to by the passengers on board. Although every effort was made and every nerve strained on the part of the Seymourites to welcome the gallant Marten their labors were as a single grain of sand on the shores of Shuswap compared with the handsome manner in which they were acknowledged by her popular commander, if we may judge by the amount of champagne and H. B. rum freely distributed to all hands not only on board during her trip but to every individual who stood on the beach.

I glean the following facts from one of the passengers, and I might here mention that among them I recognized many old friends, viz: Messrs. Reuff, Lenevue, Pearkes, Gambitz, Marks, Bissett, Pollock, and many others. He informs me that the steamer left Savana's Ferry at 5 p.m. on Saturday arriving at Kamloops at 7:45. She started from there at 6 a.m. and arrived at 6 p.m. The passengers could not sufficiently praise the exquisitely beautiful and rich tracts of farming and grazing land stretching for miles on both sides of the Thompson. Little thought they that British Columbia could boast of such possessions, and I must not forget to mention the excitement amongst the Indians who were almost frantic at the sight of a steamer. They rode furiously along the banks trying to keep up with her and seemed lost in admiration.

SEYMOUR CITY.

Before concluding I must say a few words about our city and its future prospects. The population is about five hundred, and can boast of six saloons, thirteen stores, five bakeries, three restaurants, two butcher's shops, and eleven shoemakers, two painters, one stationery shop, six physicians, and a drug store, two tin shops, two barber shops, eight washhouses and a bathing house. I might also mention an extensive fishery, two breweries, two blacksmiths' shops and a livery stable to say nothing of a coffee and doughnut stand.

PROSPECTS OF THE COUNTRY.

Notwithstanding the many disappointed, sore footed, light pocketed, weak headed, sick hearted, bootless and pantless specimens of the *genus homo* returning from Seymour, every one who has one "bit's" interest pending on the result of Big Bend must feel quite satisfied that despite the drawbacks arising from a very late and severe season, these mines will turn out to be the great Eldorado of British Columbia. All our merchants require is that the British Columbian Government will give them an equal show (as is their duty) with our American neighbors.

One of Judge O'Reilly's staff has just arrived, who informs us that prospects of six dollars to three pans has been obtained from the bottom of a shaft on a hill on McCulloch's Creek. The miners themselves have every faith in the country. I believe that in the course of a few weeks many important discoveries will be made. Some miners are now prospecting on the South arm of the Shuswap Lake. In the meantime we would advise all our friends below to keep up their spirits and to look forward to a busy fall and a bright Christmas in the good time coming.

Never say Die.

ANOTHER LETTER FROM SEYMOUR.

Seymour City, May 28th, 1866.

ARRIVAL OF THE MARTEN.

The steamer Marten made her first trip up here yesterday and caused much excitement and joy among our population, which now amounts to nearly 300.

FAITH IN THE MINES.

In spite of the great pack rush of men who never tried the Big Bend mines we have here great faith in them. It is a positive fact that several claims above pay from 10 to 15 ounces a day to companies of four or five men, and that these claims are the only ones which have been opened with a prospect of paying. The season is early yet, a great deal of snow remains on the ground, which has disappointed a good many miners who are returning, but it will be found after the mines are once opened that the best season will be from October to December, when the climate is mild, and neither snow, water nor cold will prevent the miners at that season from working their claims.

Clemens—or McCulloch's—is as yet the best creek discovered.

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FIRST TRIP OF THE MARTEN.

Seymour, 28th May, 1866.

To the Editor of the British Colonist: Sir—The Marten has made her first trip, a complete success, and over 120 miles of the most interesting waters I have ever travelled.

Yours faithfully,

John Morris.

CANADA.

[Globe and Leader 27th and 28th April.]

TORONTO.

The bakers of the city have raised the price of bread to $1 50 per dozen, wholesale, 14c per 4 lb loaf retail.

A lad named Doran was struck by a blank cartridge from a rifle of one of the volunteers, while skirmishing to day, in the abdomen, which was torn open. No hopes are entertained of his recovery.

An evening paper is to be started in the middle of next month by J. Ross Robertson, of the *Globe*, and J. B. Cooper, of the *Leader*, to be called the "Daily Telegraph." The proprietors are enterprising and energetic young men. The want of a good evening paper is much felt here, and its success is certain.

The serious accident which befell Dr. Martin on Wednesday evening at Whitby station occurred thus: Being a passenger on the G. T. R. from Toronto to Whitby—on arrival at the latter place, he remained on board talking to a friend till the cars again started, when he jumped, and fell between the platform and the cars, severely injuring his back, and paralyzing his lower limbs.

MONTREAL.

A *habitant* while intoxicated was run over by a train near Quebec.

The health officers in Quebec are busy visiting the city. They found in one case forty persons in two small apartments.

On Tuesday evening a meeting was held in Montreal for the organization of a general Sanitary Association.

The House of Refuge in Montreal sheltered 2,900 persons last winter—only 447 of them females. The permanent inmates number 105. The expenditure for the past year was over $7,000.

The Hon. Thomas Ryan, M. L. C., Trade Commissioner to the West Indies, and, since the return of the Hon. Mr. McDougall, Chairman of the Commission, has returned to Montreal.

The small pox has attacked the orphan children under the care of the Grey Nuns of Quebec. Within the last few days more than twenty children have been removed from the Nunnery to the Marine Hospital.

The Montreal House of Industry and Refuge held their annual meeting on Wednesday evening, when a large number of persons attended. The report was considered highly satisfactory. The income for the year had been $23,865.

QUEBEC.

The repairs of the Quebec Custom House are nearly completed, and the clerks have resumed possession.

Mr. Leboutillier, M. P. P. for Gaspe, has arrived at Quebec, and *Le Canadien* thereupon predicts the early opening of Parliament.

LONDON.

London has a flowing well; not of oil, however, but of water. The well is situated at the foot of Dundas street, and at about eight o'clock on Friday night began flowing at the rate of two barrels a minute, the water being as clear as crystal, but of a strong, sulphurous taste.

In this city house rent is advancing rapidly, owing chiefly to the number of American families settling here. Certain dwellings which a few months ago produced but $5 and $6 per month, now command $8 and $9. It is almost impossible for new comers to get a suitable residence at any price, and yet at this time building operations are by no means brisk in comparison with last year.—*London Free Press.*

OTTAWA.

Three new canal boats for the Ottawa trade are to be launched at Montreal.

The Ottawa Horticultural Society will hold two shows this year—the first in June.

The imports this year exceed those of the same period last year by $4,000,000—three-fourths of the increase being in dry goods.

It is understood that the Governor-General will arrive here on Saturday next, and take up his residence at Rideau Hall.

Navigation is now open between Ottawa and Montreal, and steamers are running regular trips. The canal is at high water mark.

The *Canada* states that Mr. McGreevy was on Saturday to withdraw all his workmen from the rooms to be occupied during the coming session by the two Houses of Parliament. They are finished only for temporary accommodation, and work is to be resumed upon them after the session is over.

On Monday, the Sons of St. George formed a large procession, and headed by a band, went to church. About 150 sat down to dinner in the evening. Letters of apology were read from the Hon. Messrs. J. A. Macdonald, Galt, Howland, Campbell, and Chapais, who were not able to attend. Hon. Messrs. McGee, Cockburn, and Blair were present.

The Ottawa River has risen greatly during the last few days; at present the rise is at the rate of nearly two feet a day.

The Civil service clerks are about to petition the Government for a bonus or a general increase in salaries, in view of the extraordinary rise in the price of nearly all the necessaries of life. Some of those upon small salaries have been reduced to great straits since their arrival in Ottawa.

There have been very few houses built here during last winter, and it is just as difficult to obtain houses here at present as it was last fall.

A number of stained glass windows of beautiful design have been placed in the Legislative Chambers. They produce a very pleasing and magnificent effect.

There is great activity just now in the sawmills on the Chaudier. For some time to come they will have to work night and day, the quantity of lumber ordered being as large or larger than in any previous years.

A quantity of timber which was kept here during the winter is now being rafted and will shortly be on its way to Quebec. It is the property of Mr. John Egan, and will be the first raft of the season.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Nova Scotia Government have introduced into the Legislature a bill in regard to persons using or publishing seditions and treasonable language. Although such an act is in force in Great Britain, it has never been found necessary to have one in this Province until the present time.

The Guelph *Advertiser* reports that on Saturday morning, at Rockwood, three children of Mr. James Berry were poisoned by strychnine obtained in a drug store in the village in a mistake for medicine. Two of them are already dead, and the third not expected to survive.

On Monday last about twenty soldiers of the 16th Regiment, stationed in Stratford, waited upon the Rev. Mr. Patterson, in the vestry of St. James Church, and presented him with a very handsome writing desk and silver inkstand.

On Thursday evening last a dinner was given at Goderich in honor of the volunteers at which about 200 persons were present. It is described as having been a magnificent reception.

Salt is now being produced in Sussex, N, B. The St. John papers speak highly of the article, and say that it will compare favorably with any of foreign production.

A movement has been begun in Barrie for the erection of a flax mill, in furtherance of which a public meeting has been called by the Reeve.

There are new ships on the St. Lawrence of 40,000 tonnage.

THE PEOPLE'S FRIEND.

Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer,

The Greatest Family Medicine of the age.

Taken internally, it cures sudden colds, coughs, etc., weak stomach, general debility, nursery sore mouth, canker, liver complaint, dyspepsia or indigestion, cramp and pain in the stomach, bowel complaint, painters' colic, Asiatic cholera, diarrhœa, and dysentary. Applied externally, cures felons, boils and old sores, severe burns and scalds, cuts, bruises and sprains, swelled joints, ring-worm and tetter, broken breasts, frosted feet and chillblains, toothache, pain in the face, neuralgia and rheumatism. It is a sure remedy for Ague and Chills and Fever.

☞**Medical Notice.**—Professional visit of DR. JORDAN, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, Doctor of Medicine, Edinburg, Demonstrator of Anatomy and Science, San Francisco. Dr. Jordan may be confidentially consulted on all cases of Nervous and Physical debility, and on the various disorders resulting from Sedentary habits, Excess, Accident, or Climate, daily at his office, Birdcage walk, first Cottage on the east side after crossing James Bay Bridge, Victoria, V. I., from the 23rd day of May, till the 20th of June, 1866. Where a secret infirmity exists, involving the happiness of a life, and that of others, reason and morality dictate the necessity of its removal, for it is a fact that premature decline of the vigor of manhood, matrimonial unhappiness, compulsory single life, local and physical debility, etc., have their source in causes, the germ of which is caused in early life, and the bitter fruit tasted long afterward. Dr. Jordan's Medical Works on the functions and disorders of the Nervous System "Marriage," &c. To be had at Office, James Bay.
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Fell & Co.—Are prepared to supply iners and travelers with every description of groceries and provisions put up in convenient sized packages for transmission to any part of this or the sister Colony, at the lowest Free Port prices. Particular attention is paid to the selection of goods for the Big Bend and Bridge River markets, and parties desiring to procure supplies for those mines may rely upon getting a superior article at our store. Coffee roasted and prepared on an improved principle; and Spices. guaranteed free from adulteration, may be had in any desired quantity. Fell & Co., Coffee and Spice Merchants and Family Grocers, Yates street, Victoria, V. I. *

Caution to Miners going to Big Bend.—No one should start for these mines without being quite sure that his teeth are in good order. F. W. Cave, Dentist, Trounce Alley, opposite the Colonist office, is still practising his profession at English prices. *

New Westminster.—Miners and others going to Big Bend or Bridge River will find Hicks' Hotel (which is now kept by W. E Stein, formerly of the Hot Springs,) one of the best and cleanest houses in the city.—Meals and Beds at 50 cents each, and Drinks 12½ cents. * 3m

Holloway's Ointment and Pills, a certain remedy for diseases of the skin—Ringworm, scurvy, scrofula, or king's evil, sore heads, and the most inveterate skin diseases to which the human race is subject, cannot be treated with a more safe and speedy remedy than Holloway's Ointment and Pills, which act so peculiarly on the constitution, and so purify the blood that those diseases are eradicated from the system, and a lasting cure is obtained. They are equally efficacious in the cure of tumours, burns, scalds, glandular swellings, ulcerous wounds, rheumatism, contracted and stiffjoints. These medicines operate mildly and surely. The cure effected by them is not temporary or apparent only, but complete and permanent.

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ROYAL HOSPITAL,

VICTORIA, V. I.

From 1st January, to 31st December, 1865.

	SUB'N.	DONA'N.
Anderson & Co	$10 00	$
Anderson, A C	5	
Austin, A R	10	
Bossi, Charles	5	
Boscowitz Brothers	5	
Bowman, J G	5	
Beeman, J O	2 50	
Botterell & Co	5	
Blackney, Wm R N		[illegible]
Bishop, Robt. Mrs	5	
Caire & Grancini	10	
Couch, J P	5	
Cochrane, J J., M L A	5	
Chilovich, C	5	
Charles, William	2 50	
Columbia, Dean of	5	
Cridge, Mrs	5	
Demers, Rev. Bishop	20	
Drake & Jackson	5	
Dickson Campbell & Co	50	
Douglas, Sir James	10	
Davis, J H	5	
Doolan, Rev. A		25
Derham, B	5	
Doolan, Rev A Naas		25
Ella, Cap	5	
Evans, Rev Dr	5	
Finlayson, Hon R	5	
Franklin, S., M L A	5	
Henderson & Burnaby	5	
Hibben & Carswell	10	
Helmcken, J S	20	
Huston, Guy	2 50	
Hudson Bay Co'y	100	
Jackson, E H	5	
Janion Green & Rhodes	50	
Kammerer, C W	5	
Kennedy, His Excellency Gov	20	
Lowe, Thomas	5	
Lowe, James	5	
Lewis, Capt	5	
Lang, D M	10	
Lewis, P		5
L neveu, D	5	
Livock, W T	2 50	
Lowe Bro's	10	
Lamon, H		15
McNeill, Capt	5	
McDonald, W J	10	
McQuade, Peter	5	
McCrea, J A	5	
McCreight, Mr	7 50	
Marvin, Edgar	5	
Mouatt, Capt	5	
Mayor of Victoria	5	
Manetta, P	5	
Moore & Co		10
McCann, T H	5	
Nicholson, J	5	
Nathan, H	10	
Nelson, Hugh	2 50	
Nesbitt, Sam'l	5	
Naylor, Sheriff	5	
Pendergast, C C	20	
Pemberton, J D	15	
Pemberton, A F	10	
Pemberton, Mrs A F	5	
Pearkes & Green	5	
Pearse, B W	10	
Powell, Dr. M L A	5	
Pearson & Bro. E	3 [illegible]	
Reinhart, Mr	20	
Robertson, A R	10	
Reid J M	10	
Robertson, J R	10	
Stamp, Capt	5	
Sutro Bros	10	
Stahlschmidt, Mr	5	
Swanson, Cap't	5	
Siffken Bros	5	
Sporborg Moses	5	
Shepherd, J G	10	
Sparrow, Mr	2 50	
Stelly, Geo	10	
Ship "General Wyndham"		10
Tuit, Michael		0
Tolmie, W F., M L A	5	
Tait, John	2 50	
Thorne, C	2 50	
Tuzo, Dr	5	
Wylly, C G	5	
Watson, Hon A	5	
Wilkie, John	5	
Wright, Thomas	2 50	
Work John	2 50	
Wallace, Geo	5	
Wood, Hon T L	5	
Wakeford, Hon H	5	
Wilson, A & W	5	
Wootten, H	5	
Wakeford, Hon H	5	
Young, W A G	10	
Total,	$805 62	$110 00
	110 00	
	$915 62	

LIST OF DONATIONS BY AND FOR LATE INMATES.

Ship General Wyndham, for English	$ 60
do Knight Bruce, for Cross	20
do Princess Royal, for Gifford	34 50
do do do C. Jay	13
do do do Nowski	27 50
do do do J. Lockerby	4 50
Janion Green & Rhodes, for Inmate	35
R. Winter, late Inmate	10
H. Brooks, late Inmate	10
Geo. Reed, late Inmate	20
Total,	$234 50

ROYAL HOSPITAL, VICTORIA, V. I.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities as on 31st December, 1864.

I. ASSETS.

(Exclusive of Buildings, Furniture, Bedding, &c.)

Cash in Treasurer's hands	$ 123 26	
Amount due by Female Aid Association	173 00	
Amount due for maintenance of sundry discharged patients	120 00	
		$416 26

II. LIABILITIES.

(Being amounts due on the following accounts viz.)

Provision account	$ 674 91	
Water	47 50	
Fuel	5 00	
Medical	215 88	
Furniture		
Wages	375 00	
Funeral		
Incidents	8 75	
		1,327 04
Balance, being liabilities in excess of available assets		$ 910 78

Statement of the Income and Expenditure of the Royal Hospital, Victoria V. I., from the 1st of January to 31st December, 1864.

HEADS OF RECEIPT.

To balance in Treasurer's hands on 1st January, 1864	$ 979 60
To Cash received from the following, viz:	
Government of Vancouver Island	5,000 00
Philharmonic Society, net proceeds of Concert	132 70
G. Cruickshank Esq., proceeds of Subscription Ball	15 00
Committee for the reception of Governor Kennedy	23 10
Thomas Ward Esq., proceeds of Benefit at Theatre	180 00
Good Templars, per Mr. Simeon Duck	30 50
Treasurer of Female Infirmary, on account of Debt due	250 00
General Subscriptions and Donations year ending 31st December 1864	2,261 35
	$8,872 25

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.

By Cash paid on the following accounts viz:

Provision Account			2,150 00
Water,	do		279 50
Fuel,	do		536 50
Medical,	do		1,864 08
do	do	(per Dr Trimble)	2,000 00
Bedding,	do		72 00
Furniture	do		100 22
Building,	do		66 74
Wages,	do		1,159 15
Funeral,	do		229 25
Incidents,	do		290 75
			8,748 99
Balance in Treasurers hands 31st December, 1864			123 26
			$8,872 35

A. F. PEMBERTON,
Treasurer, Royal Hospital.

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct Statement of the Cash account of the Royal Hospital, Victoria, V. I. as made up to the 31st December, 1864, and examined by me with the Books and Vouchers.

ALEX. MUNRO,
Victoria, V. I. 19th July, 1866. Auditor.

ROYAL HOSPITAL, VICTORIA, V. I.

Statements of Assets and Liabilities as on 31st December, 1865.

I. ASSETS.

(Exclusive of Buildings, Furniture, Bedding, &c)

Cash in Treasurer's hands	$ 295 46
Balance of Grant due by Government, V. I.	3,000 00
	$3295 46

II. LIABILITIES.

(Being amounts due on the following accounts:)

Provision account		$1,821 05
Medical,	do	439 36
Fuel,	do	15
Funeral	do	90
Incidental,	do	52 12
Water,	do	23
Bedding,	do	12
Wages,	do	550
		$3005 53
Balance being available amount after paying all liabilities		$ 289 93

Statement of the Income and Expenditure of the Royal Hospital, Victoria, V. I., from 1st January to 1st December, 1865.

HEADS OF RECEIPT.

To balance from 1864	$ 123 26
To cash received, from following sources;	
Grant from Government, V. I	3000
Jury fees in case Alberni Co. vs Gastineau	2
J P. Davies, sale of Harness	16
Dickson, Campbell & Co. for Sailors of Ship Ann Adamson	400
T. Ward Esq., Victoria Theatre, proceeds of Entertainment	141
C S J, special donation	10
From various persons late inmates	234 50
For general subscriptions and donations for year 1865	915 62
	$4842 38

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.

By cash paid on the following accounts;

Provision account		$1,872 93
Medical,	do	684 79
Wages,	do	1,277 14
Incidental	do	80 67
Fuel,	do	312
Building,	do	93 14
Bedding,	do	19
Furniture,	do	14 75
Funeral,	do	30
Water,	do	162 50
		$4,546 92
By balance in Treasurer's hands		295 46
		$4,842 38

A. F. PEMBERTON,
Treasurer Royal Hospital.

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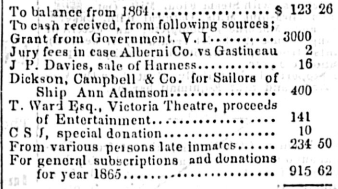

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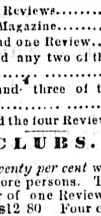

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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS AND OINTMENT—Stomach and Kidneys. Between these two organs there exists a close and intimate relation which is demonstrated by the wasting which occurs in all diseases afflicting the kidneys. The disordered stomach is often the first index of renal irregularity. Holloway's remedies used at that juncture would cut short many a serious and fatal attack. They act with wonderful efficacy on every organ of secretion, but especially do they regulate the stomach, liver and kidneys, in restoring their healthy functions, and casting out any obstructions or impurities. It is necessary for the ointment to be well rubbed into the small of the back twice daily, when it is absorbed and greatly augments the purifying and salutary influence of the Pills.

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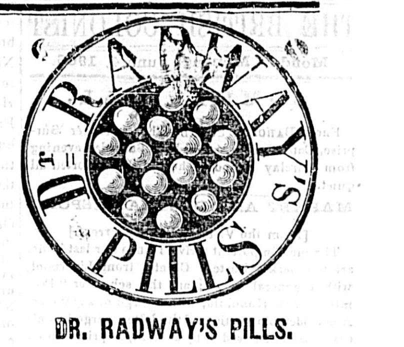

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HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS—These potent remedies constitute a *materia medica* in themselves, for there is no internal or external disorder controllable by medicine for which the one or the other of them is not a positive remedy—eruptions, tumors, scrofula, scurvy, cancer, asthma, rheumatism, gout, and dropsy entirely subside and disappear under the action of these joint medicines; and in cases of indigestion, sick headache, bile, liver complaints, debility, and other disorders originating in the internal organs, the Pills produce the most astounding results imaginable. The student of Nature knows how simple are her ways; if one preparation can throw out all the impurities of the blood, disease is conquered and art is triumphant, because it adopted the simplicity of Nature.

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